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SUBJECT: SECRETARY KISSINGER MEETINGS WITH POLITICAL LEADERS

IN ADDITION TO MEETINGS TUESDAY (MAR. 11) WITH DEMIREL,  
BOZBEYLI AND ASILTURK (SEE SEPTEL), SECRETARY KISSINGER ALSO MET WITH  
TURHAM FEYZIOGLU, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL RELIANCE PARTY.  
FOLLOWING THE MEETING, FEYZIOGLU MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT  
TO NEWSMEN. (BEGIN TEXT)

"WE HAD A TALK WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE KISSINGER AND HIS  
COLLEAGUES ABOUT THE QUESTION OF CYPRUS AND ABOUT BILATERAL  
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RELATIONS BETWEEN TURKEY AND THE U.S. I HAVE KNOWN MR. KISSINGER

SINCE 1956. I MET HIM IN HARVARD WHEN HE WAS DIRECTING THE HARVARD INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR. I HAD PARTICIPATED IN THIS SEMINAR, AS A PROFESSOR OF THE FACULTY OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, AND WE HAVE KNOWN EACH OTHER SINCE THEN. AFTER A BRIEF EXCHANGE OF MEMORIES ABOUT THOSE DAYS WE TALKED ABOUT THE CYPRUS ISSUE. WE HAVE REPEATED, I AM SURE ACCORDING TO THE VIEWS OF OTHER PARTIES AND THOSE OF OUR GOVERNMENT, OUR VIEW OF THE CONDITIONS WHICH CANNOT BE ABANDONED, ACCORDING TO TURKEY, FOR A JUST AND PERMANENT SOLUTION TO THE CYPRUS PROBLEM. I THINK THAT THE MAIN IMPRESSION HE HAS FROM ALL HIS CONTACTS IS THAT THE TURKISH NATION IS UNITED IN ITS OPINION, WITHOUT PARTISAN DIFFERENCES, ON THE ISSUE OF CYPRUS. I BELIEVE THAT THIS WILL BE VERY HELPFUL. WE HAVE EXPRESSED OUR MUTUAL VIEWS THAT FOR A JUST AND PERMANENT SOUTION TO THE QUESTION OF CYPRUS THERE CAN BE NO OTHER WAY BUT DIRECT BILATERAL TALKS AND THAT THIS QUESTION CAN BE SOLVED ONLY BY SERIOUS NEGOTIATIONS AND NOT AT THE INTERNATIONAL FORUMS OF PROPAGANDA.

ON BILATERAL RELATIONS I HAVE EMPHASIZED THE FACT THAT FOR EVERY STATE IN EVERY PART OF THE WORLD THE ISSUE OF MOST PRIORITY IS THE DEFENSE OF ITS OWN SECURITY. I HAVE STATED THAT THE DECISION REACHED BY THE AMERICAN CONGRESS COULD NOT BE COMPATIBLE WITH BEING FRIENDS AND ALLIES. HE STATED, EXPRESSING VIEWS NO DIFFERENT FROM OURS ON THESE ISSUES, THAT HE DEFINITELY DID NOT APPROVE OF THE ATTITUDE OF THE CONGRESS ISSUES. AND I THINK THE TALK AS A WHOLE WAS VERY USEFUL, VERY USEFUL, VERY BENEFICIAL. WE DISCUSSED MATTERS OF MUTUAL INTEREST. WHAT IS IMPORTANT, WHAT IS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT, IS THAT I THINK DR. KISSINGER HAS UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL POLITICAL PARTIES ARE IN AGREEMENT ON BOTH SUBJECTS. I WAS VERY PLEASED TO SEE THAT HE HAD THIS STRONG IMPRESSION. THIS IS ALL I HAVE TO SAY FOR THE TIME BEING."

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